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Applicant: Suzuki et al. Art Unit: 2879
Serial No.: 09/938,749 Examiner: Ashok Patel
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Title: PROJECTION TUBE HAVING DIFFERENT NECK DIAMETERS

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RESPONSE B

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

The Applicant respectfully submits this Response to the Final Office Action mailed October 7, 2003. None of the claims are amended. A petition and fee for a 3-month extension of time have been submitted on an even date herewith.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.

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